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ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TRAINING AND DOCTRINE COMMAND FUTURES CENTER

- 1. Effective 1 October 2003, the Commanding General, the U.S. ARMY Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC) established a Futures Center to develop joint operating and functional concepts, integrate operational architectures, synchronize experimentation, and develop future force doctrine, organization, training, materiel, leadership and education, personnel, and facilities (DOTMLPF) required capabilities. The Future Center supports the Commanding General, TRADOC in the development of the future force, optimization of Future Combat System capabilities, and joint force integration. The Futures Center provides the management structure for identifying capability needs, analytical support for trade-offs, and the spectrum of DOTMLPF development.
- **2.** Effective 1 November 2003, the Objective Force Task Force (OFTF) was placed under the operational control (OPCON) of the Commanding General, TRADOC to effect transition to the Futures Center.
- **3.** The OFTF will be inactivated with current responsibilities reassigned to TRADOC Futures Center or Headquarters Department of the Army (HQDA) elements. Resources currently programmed to the Objective Force Task Force will be allocated in accordance with reassigned missions. Further guidance regarding the disposition of responsibilities and resources will be provided by the Chief of Staff, Army.
- **4.** TRADOC will forward a concept plan governing the Futures Center, in accordance with AR 71-32.

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